

Childrens Department.

TWELVE MILE, IND., Oct. 23rd, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—When the giant saw David he was angry and said, "Come to me, I will give your flesh to the birds." David was not afraid. He said, "You have a sword and a shield; God will help me." The giant came nearer to David and David ran toward him, put his hand in his bag and drew out a stone and put it in his sling, and threw it at him; it hit him in the head and killed him.

BLANCHE DALZELL.

SULLIVAN, OHIO, Oct. 27th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—My school was out yesterday, for vacation, two weeks. My teacher's name is Millie Drumb. I like her very much. Our Sunday school will close to-morrow. We will have preaching day and night. I took my last music lesson for this term. It is very nice weather here now. I will answer Eva Miller's question. Peter, James and John were Christ's beloved disciples. I will close by asking a question: Who came to Jesus by night?

Good-bye,
MYRTLE HART.

KUNKLE, OHIO, Oct. 27th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—I thought I would write another letter. There was a man died yesterday of typhoid fever. There are many cases of typhoid fever in Kunkle. I was to the infirmary yesterday. There are thirty-six inmates. There will be a meeting at brother Rittenhouse's to-morrow afternoon. I have been husking corn this forenoon. Pa. Emsey and I have got pretty good corn this year.

Yours truly,
PEARL YAGEL.

ASHLAND, OHIO, Oct. 23th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—I have been thinking about writing for some time but have never commenced. I am a little girl eight years of age. This is my first attempt to write for the EVANGELIST. Our church had communion services last Saturday evening. The church chose J. Allen Miller for their pastor.

The college is doing finely. I will close by asking a question: Who was taken up in a chariot of fire?

Good-bye,
AMY WORST.

WOOSTER, O., Oct. 28th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—This is my first attempt to write for the children's column. I am seven years old. I go to school every day. I like to go to Sunday school. My grandpa and grandma visited us last week. I was glad to see them. My papa is postal clerk on the railroad. I am glad to see him when he comes home. I have one sister and one brother.

Good-bye,
ZORA GARVER.

ANKNEYTOWN, O., Oct. 26th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—I will try and write another letter for the children's column. Our school will commence

next Monday. Mr. Garber is our teacher. Papa's school will commence next Monday, also. My two brothers and I go to school and papa will be teaching. Mamma and my little sister will be at home alone. They think it will be ver lonesome. I have not missed one Sunday of Sunday school yet.

Yours truly,
EDNA BEAL.

BAKERSVILLE, Oct. 28th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—I suppose when this letter reaches its destination our new editor will be in the office. I think we will like him for papa and mamma met him at the convention last fall and they thought very well of him.

On the 23rd of September, I attended the picnic held by the Valley Brethren church near Jones' Mills and had a very nice time. Their Sunday school closed for the season. I will close. Good bye.

From,
MAUD MILLER.

CORNELL, ILL., Oct. 26th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—Rev. Z. T. Liven-good held a protracted meeting here; he baptized six; my brother, Lot, was one of them. Rev. D. L. Miller lectured about Bible Lands in the Dunkard church. One of my school mates died of the typhoid fever. She was buried last Sunday afternoon; her name was Hazel Leffler. I will answer Eva Miller's question. John, the Evangelist, was Christ's beloved disciple. I will close for this time.

BENJAMINE MAST.

RED OAK, IA., Oct. 17th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—I will write a short story about Esau and Jacob. Isaac had two sons, named Esau and Jacob. Though they were twin brothers, yet they grew very unlike each other: Esau was a hunter, and Jacob was a shepherd; Esau was the elder of the two brothers. The first-born son was always held in honor next to his parents—he had twice as much of his father's goods as the other sons.

CLEMMMA HENRICKS.

NORTH GEORGETOWN, O., Oct. 27, '94.

DEAR EDITOR:—This is my ninth letter. We had our children's meeting Sunday night. We had a very nice meeting. We can do good for Jesus in a good many ways; giving our hearts to him and bringing others to him. I will answer Eva Miller's question: John was Christ's beloved disciple. I will answer Clyde Strickler's question: John the Baptist died A. D. 28; he was beheaded. When did Christ ascend to heaven? I will have to close. Good-bye.

MAUD WHITELEATHER.

CRETE, NEB., Oct. 7th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—This is Oct. 7th, just think. I can hardly realize that time flies so fast. At the longest our time is not long. Eternity will never end. The Bible says, "We pass away like the swift ships and like the

shadows." An ice wagon ran over a little boy in Crete and killed him instantly. I wonder why there isn't more children in Nebraska that write. McFaden's children can and I am sure others can too. We will have to stir them up.

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